## NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE PROMULGATION: DMR Regulation 95.10 Q, Closed Area No. 2-B, Lobster Cove, York.

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.10 Q, Closed Area No. 2-B, Lobster Cove, York.

Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of the Town of York inside of a line beginning at Roaring Rock Point; then extending northwest to Prebbles Point on Long Sands.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime (12 M.R.S.A. Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 4, 2003

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## STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources promulgates the new emergency DMR Regulation 95.10 Q, Closed Area No. 2-B, Lobster Cove, York. This new rule describes the closure at Lobster Cove on the south end of Long Beach, which was previously described in Closed Area No. 3. This is an administrative change.

Department personnel have determined that Lobster Cove is subject to non-point pollution, which poses a threat to the public health.

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**AUTHORIZED BY 12 MRSA SECTION 6023** 

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